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For: PROCESS FOR MAKING A SUPER ABSORBENT POLYMER-IMPREGNATED NON-WOVEN
ABSORBENT CORE FOR PERSONAL HYGIENE PRODUCTS

Enclosed are (in addition to the specification):

- ☒ 5 sheets of drawing.
- ☒ An assignment of the invention to Tyco Healthcare Retail Services AG
- ☒ A Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- ☐ Applicant is entitled to small entity status.
- ☐ Claim to Right of Priority w/certified copy of _____ application no(s). _____.
- ☐ This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. _____ filed _____.

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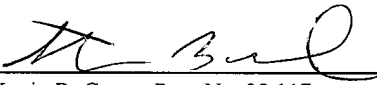
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